INTERNAL TITLE 38 PHYSICIAN VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

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Announcement Number:	Opening Date:	Closing Date:	
T38-2003-18	05-19-2003	05-30-2003	
Position:	Organizational Location:		
OPTOMETRIST	SURGICAL SERVICE – TEMPLE ICF		
Grade/Salary Range:	Area of Consideration:		
DETERMINED BY PROFESSIONAL	NATIONWIDE	NATIONWIDE	
STANDARDS BOARD			

PRIMARY DUTIES:

The Optometrist should be licensed as a Diagnostic and Therapeutic Optometrist in any state in the U.S. Incumbent's duties should be commensurate to the state in which the license is held. Incumbent will diagnose and treat the refractive state of the patient and certain surface conditions and refer appropriately where necessary. Glaucoma should be treated in conjunction with and under the supervision of Ophthalmology.

Qualification Requirements:

- 1. Must be a citizen of the United States.
- 2. Must have a degree of doctor of optometry resulting from a course of education in optometry. The degree must have been obtained from one of the schools or colleges approved by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs for the year in which the course of study was completed.
- 3. Must have current, full and unrestricted license to practice optometry in a State, Territory, Commonwealth of the United States or District of Columbia. Optometrists are required to possess full and unrestricted licensure and to maintain a current registration in their State of licensure if this is a requirement of the particular State.
- 4. Must be proficient in spoken and written English as required by 38 U.S.C. 4105C, 4114F, and 5010. **How to apply:**

Candidates who wish to be considered for this position must obtain necessary forms through the internet address: http://www.texvet.com/HRMS/forms.htm. VA Form 10-2850c (Application For Associated Health Occupations), Curriculum Vitae or Resume (optional), OF-306 (Declaration of Federal Employment), APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED IN HRMS, TEMPLE, BY CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON CLOSING DATE OF ANNOUNCEMENT. Refer all questions to Robert Rodriguez, Jr., Human Resource Specialist, 254-778-4811 EXTENSION 39-5019.

NOTE: This agency provides reasonable accommodations to applicants with disabilities. If you need a reasonable accommodation for any part of the application and hiring process, please notify the agency. The decision on granting accommodation will be on a case-to-case basis. Please refer any questions to the specialist listed above.

THIS IS A BARGAINING UNIT POSITION.

NOTE: This is a DESIGNATED RANDOM DRUG Testing position. SELECTEE will be subjected to random drug tests.

CTVHCS IS A SMOKE-FREE ENVIRONMENT.

IF PATIENT NEEDS ARISE, THE INCUMBENT OF THE ABOVE POSITION MAY BE REASSIGNED TO THE WACO INTEGRATED CLINICAL FACILITY WITHIN THE CENTRAL TEXAS VETERANS HEALTH CARE SYSTEM.

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY: ACTIONS TO FILL THIS POSITION WILL NOT BE BASED ON DISCRIMINATORY FACTORS, WHICH ARE PROHIBITED BY LAW.

NO RELOCATION EXPENSES PAID.